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Wrangell Will Celebrate the 4th

Extensive Preparations Are Being Made to Make the Day One Long to Be Remembered.

Wrangell will celebrate the 4th. The committee having charge of affairs promise that everybody will have a good time. There will be foot races, boat races, three-legged races, potato races, fat men's races, pie eating contests, and in fact it will be a race from daylight to dark, which in Wrangell means midnight.

The following committees have been appointed to take charge of the different divisions of the preparations and day's events:—

- C. M. Coulter,
Wm. Lucas,
H. D. Campbell,
Water Sports
F. E. Gingrass,
Jack Bjorge,
K. J. Johansen,
Music—
Wm. Lewis, Brig Grant
Printing—
T. R. Needham,
Decoration—
Ole Johnson,
Oscar Carlson,
Tony Anderson,
Entertainment—
Geo. H. Barnes,
Marshal of the Day—
W. D. Grant.

The neighboring towns have received invitations to come and help celebrate and nothing is being left undone to insure a successful program.

Celebrate Their Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Barnes celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Monday night last. A large number of invited friends gathered at their home where they spent the evening in social intercourse. Mr. Louis Schott, superintendent of the A. P. A. cannery, was in Wrangell at the time Mr. and Mrs. Barnes were married and attended the wedding. On Monday night, accompanied by his wife and daughter, he attended the silver wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes have a host of friends in Wrangell who join in wishing them many more years of wedded happiness and trust that they may live to enjoy the celebration of their golden wedding.

Contract Let to H. Thurston

Harry Thurston has been awarded the contract for planking Front street from The City Store to the Tamasee property, a distance of 500 feet. The successful bid was \$1,030.

RED LETTER DAY FOR WRANGELL

They Came, They Saw, They Marvelled

Wrangell Citizens Turn Out En Masse to Bid the Strangers Welcome to Our Illihee.

Yesterday was a red letter day in Wrangell. For weeks the citizens have been hearing that soon the Alaska Bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce contemplated a trip through Alaska and their itinerary would bring them to Wrangell. They were also informed that many notable men of the newspaper world would come as guests but were not prepared fully for the great surprise that awaited them.

At 9:30 o'clock last night the Jefferson steamed into port conveying 125 of the "livest bunch" that ever assembled on our shore. It could be read in every face "I am out for a good time and I guess I have come to the right place to get it."

The party, headed by J. L. McPherson, Secretary of the Alaska Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce of Seattle, filed down the gang plank and were placed in the hands of committees from the Wrangell Chamber of Commerce who proceeded to show them as much of the town as was possible considering the late hour of their arrival. After visiting the places of interest, the party was conducted to Red Men's Hall where the general reception was held. The committee in charge had arranged for a grand ball and at 10:30 the Wrangell Orchestra started the Grand March which was led by Hon. Seth Mann and Mrs. Bruce C. Bone and participated in by at least sixty couples. If there was any complaint warranted, it was that for once, at least, Red Men's Hall proved too small to accommodate those who wished to dance.

The evening was enlivened by songs and recitations given by talented people, the principal feature being the song of Mrs. Morehead, of Cincinnati, who

with her husband, is making the trip.

Mr. Davis, an artist of national reputation, entertained with a recitation which caused much amusement and for which he received hearty applause.

Probably the most distinguished guest of the evening was the Hon. Seth Mann, of San Francisco, who is making the trip as special representative of President Wilson to whom he will make a report on the conditions of Alaska so far as he is able to observe on a hurried trip through the territory. Mr. Mann is a distinguished lawyer and a pleasant gentleman to meet. He was an old college classmate of F. E. Bronson, Deputy Collector of Customs at Wrangell and as it has been a number of years since they met, spent considerable of the time together while here. As Mr. Bronson has lived in Alaska for several years and is well posted on Alaskan affairs, Mr. Mann could gain much information he desired and visit with his old friend at the same time.

When the hour for the sailing of the Jefferson, which seemed all too soon, regrets were expressed by many that they could not make a longer stay in Wrangell, where they had received such royal welcome.

It was a day long to be remembered by the citizens of Wrangell, who did all that lay in their power to make the visit of our distinguished guests as pleasant as possible. May their reception throughout Alaska be as genuine as it was in Wrangell.

Mr. J. L. McPherson, who has charge of the affairs during the trip, is an old Alaskan and met many old friends and acquaintances while in Wrangell.

STEFANSSON PARTY BOUND FOR NORTH

Steamer Karluk Calls at Wrangell En Route to Nome. Capt. Bartlett, of Peary Expedition Fame, in Command of Vessel

The Dominion government steamer Karluk, which is taking north twelve members of the Arctic expedition, with supplies and scientific equipment to Nome where they will be met by Stefansson, arrived at Wrangell at 10 o'clock Monday night, six days out from Victoria. Burt M. McConnell, sec'y to Stefansson, is a member of the party, and will join his chief at Nome. Mr. McConnell was so busily engaged

dispatching letters and telegrams during his short stay here that he could spare only a brief time with The Sentinel man. The stop was made at Wrangell for the purpose of putting pilot, Capt. Goss, ashore.

Stefansson, who could not come with the Karluk, was immediately apprised by Mr. McConnell of the safe arrival of the Karluk at Wrangell.

Capt. Bartlett, who was with

Steamer Curacao Total Wreck

The steamer Curacao was wrecked off the west coast some time Friday night or Saturday morning. Few details are known as to the cause of the wreck excepting that the vessel struck an uncharted rock and was totally submerged. No lives were lost but the cargo of freight was a total loss. Capt. "Bill" Thompson was in command of the vessel. The few passengers aboard were cared for by the company and they were all sent to their destination.

At the Episcopal Church

Special service of patriotism at St. Philip's church Sunday evening, June 29. The theme will be "True Greatness of Nations." All are cordially invited.

Dance at Red Men's Hall Saturday Night

There will be a grand dance at Red Men's hall on Saturday night June 28. Music by the orchestra. A good time assured all who attend.

Mrs. Alice Harriman, representing the San Francisco "Call", was a member of the Jefferson party.

Stuck Party Gain the Summit

A dispatch says, "The first complete ascent of Mt. McKinley has been accomplished. Archdeacon Surck and his party reached the top of the mountain on the 7th of June. It was a perfectly clear day. The party discovered the flag pole erected by Tom Lloyd in 1890. It was on the north peak which is the lower of the two. The party hoisted the stars and stripes and said 'Te Deum.'"

Second Notice

On and after July 1, I will not deliver milk unless the empty bottle is returned. Each customer is entitled to BUT ONE bottle at a time. W. L. OSBORNE.

Fourth of July Dance at Rink

There will be a grand dance at the skating rink on Thursday evening, July 4. Music will be furnished by the orchestra. Come and enjoy yourselves.

R. D. Pinneo, Traffic Manager of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, passed through on the Seattle Monday on a business trip through Southeastern Alaska.



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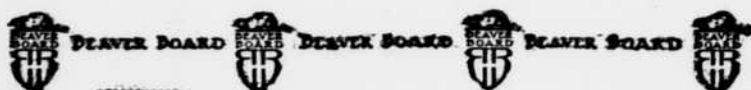
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The citizens of Ruby have asked the Road Commission to expend \$75,000 for roads and trails in that vicinity.

A. F. Holden a director of the Alaska Gastineau Company, died at Cleveland, Ohio, on May 18th.

The report comes from Juneau that the litigation over the Ebner property has come to an end and the hoodoo is off.

The floating court, on the revenue cutter Thetis will depart from Valdez June 13, according to the latest information.

A Nome man went to Seattle suffering from appendicitis and escaped without an operation.

Haines business men are waking up on the railroad question as they should have done many moons ago.

A. F. Zipf, traffic manager of the Northern Navigation Company, went north last week to his station at Dawson, from which point he will direct the operations of the company's steamers during the present summer.

The steamer Senator, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., sailed from Seattle for Nome on the morning of June 1st and the Victoria, of the Alaska S. S. Co. sailed 24 hours later.

Ottawa telegrams state that the government has awarded the mail contract for the Dawson-Whitehorse service, winter and summer, to the White Pass Company at \$80,000 a year.

George Evans, a government coal expert, has gone to the Westward, but it is said that he will return in a month to examine the claims owned by George Harkrader over on Admiralty Island.

Judge Robert W. Jennings, of the First division, has appointed S. H. Milwee as court stenographer, to succeed Ralph Z. Robertson.

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Peary on his North Pole expedition, is in command of the Karluk and is a navigator of renown. From Wrangell the Karluk will go direct to Nome via Unimak Pass, and will not touch at Juneau or Sitka en route. The party will try to reach Nome ahead of Explorer Stefansson, who will arrive there on the Victoria about July 10th.

Capt. Bartlett reports unfavorable winds all the way from Victoria, and was compelled to wait six hours for tide at Seymour Narrows on June 19th. The Karluk met many vessels en route, several of whom signalled pleasant voyage. Capt. Bartlett always returning the signals.

Following is a complete list of the Stefansson party: Bjarne Mamen, a Scandinavian, with Arctic expedition in Spitzbergen, assistant topographer; Dr. R. M. Anderson, zoologist, specialist in mammals and birds, in command of southern party, with Stefansson on the last expedition.

Fritz Johansen, Norwegian, for some time biologist in the department of agriculture in Washington, specialist in fishes and the lower forms of life; zoologist in the Mylius Erichsen East Greenland expedition, which completed the mapping of Greenland. J. J. O'Neill, mining geologist and specialist in copper deposits, a member of the Canadian geological survey.

Kenneth Chapman and J. R. Cox, topographers detailed from the Canadian geological service. Henri Beuchat, anthropologist of Paris, France; has written books and papers on American archaeology and ethnology, recently awarded a prize by the French Scientific Academy.

Dr. D. Jannes, Oxford, who has been doing ethnology work in the South Sea Islands.

Dr. A. Forbes MacKay, Edinburgh Medical School, a British naval surgeon and surgeon on Shackleton's Antarctic expedition.

James Murray will be the oceanographer. He was co-worker of Sir John Murray, famous through the Challenger expedition, was biologist with Shackleton, and has edited the scientific reports of that expedition, since then has been biologist on the Colombia boundary survey of America.

W. T. McKinlay, University of Glasgow, magnetician; George Malloch, Geologist, a Canadian geological survey specialist in strateography; Burt M. McConnell, secretary to Stefansson; George Wilkins, cinematographer and Captain Bartlett, who commands the Karluk.

The crew consists of fifteen men.

J. J. O'Neill is to be entrusted with the examination of the copper district in Southwest Victoria Island. This was discovered on the last expedition. He will study also the well known copper region on the mainland around the Copper Mine river.

Joe Bonds, of Tacoma, came over from Tokcen on the mail boat Wednesday where has been training for a ten-round fight with Frank Farmer, of Eatonville, near Tacoma, where the bout takes place on July 4th. Mr. Bonds is a newspaperman, having covered the sports for Tacoma papers previous to his training trip to Alaska.

Walter Fredericks was brought in to the hospital this morning suffering from injuries received from the breaking of a half-inch cable at McDonald's logging camp yesterday, where the injured man has been employed.

He Needed Proof.
It was after 10 o'clock at night, and the jury had just been discharged. A stout jurymen came over to the reporters' table. He had a worried look.
"You are an Evening News man, aren't you?"
"Yes."
"Are you going to report this case?"
"Yes."
"For tomorrow's paper?"
"Yes."
"Would you mind putting in a line saying that the jury was out until 10 o'clock?"
"I'll mention it, if you wish."
"I certainly hope you will. You have no idea how much I want you to. You are a young man and probably you're not married yet, but some day you'll have a wife, and then you'll understand."—Newark News.

Them Hand Bags.
The hand bag that the lady wore was wide and deep—immense—And to add to the lady bore
One spoon of thread,
Fourteen hairpins,
Eight perfectly good buttons,
One thimble,
Three car tickets,
One recipe for sponge cake,
One marble set,
Six samples,
One handkerchief,
Two socks of ribbon,
A few pieces of paper,
One charmin' skin,
Three beach-hat powders,
One book of keys,
One package of cleaning gum,
One mirror,
Two picture stamps,
Fifty-seven varieties of dainties
And seven eggs.
—Milwaukee Sentinel

She Said It.
A visitor of noble birth was expected to arrive at a large country house in the north of England, and the daughter of the house, aged seven, was receiving final instructions from her mother.
"And now, dear," she said, "when the duke speaks to you do not forget, always to say 'your grace!'"
Presently the great man arrived, and after greeting his host and hostess he said to the child, "Well, my dear, and what is your name?" Judge of his surprise when the little girl solemnly closed her eyes and with clasped hands exclaimed, "For what we are about to receive may we be truly thankful, amen."—Ladies' Home Journal.

No Hero.
I never, never rode to hounds
Across the fields and brooks
Or drove a golf ball out of bounds
As people do in books.
I never talked in epigrams
To girls in easy robes
Or passed around those witty slams
As people do in books.
I never entertained a king
Or went out after rooks—
In short, I've never done a thing
That people do in books.
—Kansas City Journal

Hospitality.
A tourist who had been caught in a severe storm up in the highlands congratulated himself, after finding a solitary cottage, on being asked to stay overnight.
After dinner, while wearing a suit of the gold man's clothes till his own were dry, he met the mistress on the stairs with a broom in her hand, and she, mistaking the stranger for her husband, gave him a thump on the head with the broom, remarking, "That's for asking the man to stay a night!"—London Weekly Telegraph.

The Old Chuck Wagon.
Oh, pard! I know the feelin' that are
Tharin' in yer breast
When you've rode a bronc' all mornin' an'
are achin' for a rest!
It's then yer eyes go roamin' for the
shinin' wagon top.
An' the campfire which announces it's the
place for you to stop.
An', gee, the call of "grab pile!" There's
nothin' half so sweet
As to quit yer tired broncho an' squat
down an' eat an' eat.
—Los Angeles Express.

No Partiality.
Barber—What will you have on your hair?
Customer—Don't get funny. I've got more than one hair.
Barber—So I see. Pardon me. I meant what you have on both—Brooklyn Life.

Ape Cwe 'Em.
When fur stews can all bear 'em
Toot raw-bone ache theme 'em ink Lear.
Youth inculc' woad out bee weigh sting
thyme.
Use 'em "It's imp'ean on scent's shear!"
Gnome offer; Anna Lisa align!
Nathn' mize lender verse says knot—
Fork rip tick poet real like mine.
How Aaron weat, demones allot.
—Century.

The Clock and the Man.
When a clock is fast you can always turn it back, but it's different with a young man.—New York Times.

Stone in the Heart.
A Greek woman employed in the American hospital in Caesarea, Turkey, was stirred by a revival. She straightway asked leave to visit a woman whom she had injured and to whom she had not spoken for ten years. When she trudged through the snow three or four miles to ask her "enemy's" forgiveness her relatives were sure she had gone daft, but the next day when she came back to the hospital she said, "We made peace, and the stone in my heart is gone."

Some Brief Epitaphs.
The following are among the brief and curious epitaphs seen in European cemeteries: At Worcester, England, the slab erected over a departed auctioneer is inscribed with a single word, "Gone." In Sussex the initials and date of the death of the deceased are followed by two words, "He was." On the monument of Charles the Great of Germany the brief inscription is "Carolo Magno." The most remarkable is at Cane Hill cemetery, Belfast, where the inscription says, "Left till called for."

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News of Local Interest

Winter & Pond Alaska views framed or unframed at the Shurick Drug Co.'s store.

Mr. Buell the popular traveling salesman, spent a few days in town this week.

Mrs. Roy Cole returned on Sunday evening from a trip with her husband, Capt. Roy Cole, on the Ida May to the west coast. She reports having had a delightful trip.

The Uncle Dan returned from the west coast Wednesday with the following passengers:

P. J. Philbin, J. E. Eester, of Klawock—Jack Schroeder, Mr. Hilbert, of Mission—Joe Bonds, F. H. White, Jack Mace, of Toke—Rube Lang, Mr. Dunich, Roy Elliott, of Craig—F. Verall, Roy Ramsey, E. Ellingsen, M. Same, of Karheen—Jack Smith, of Waterfall and Mrs. Slaymaker, of Sulzer.

W. C. Waters came over from Holbrook on the Glenora Saturday bringing Otto Hoel to the hospital suffering from iritis. Dr. L. P. Dawes is treating the patient and feels confident that no serious results will follow. Mr. Waters was accompanied by E. J. La Bonty.

Mrs. Vincent and Mr. and Mrs. Hardin left for Petersburg on Saturday last where Mrs. Hardin and Mrs. Vincent will remain for a week or ten days visiting friends. Mr. Hardin returned to Wrangell on Monday.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. C. P. Cole, which occurred in Juneau on Friday last. Mrs. Cole had been an invalid for the past two years. She was the mother of Thomas and Cash Cole, former residents of Wrangell.

Thos Case, jr., who made a trip to Bradfield channel last week to see whether the fish were coming in sufficient numbers to warrant his going there to fish, returned the first of the week and reports little success.

Harold Dawes and Harry Coulter left on Thursday afternoon for the west coast on a fishing trip. The trip was made in the Tonic, the new pleasure boat recently built by Dr. L. P. Dawes. The boys returned Monday evening and report having had a delightful trip but few fish.

H. Molyneux of Atlin, superintendent of the Canadian government road building from Telegraph Creek to Dease Lake, arrived in Wrangell on the City of Seattle Monday night and is awaiting the departure of the Port Simpson for Telegraph Creek, where he goes to inspect the work now going on under the direction of Charles Cullin.

Capt. Jo. Goss, well known to the old timers of Wrangell as master of the Princess Louise in the boom days, came into port Monday evening as pilot for the Karluk en route to Nome with the Stefansson expedition party. Capt. Goss left the Karluk here and is returning to Victoria on the Princess Sophia, which sailed north-bound Tuesday morning.

H. Vearett, Guy Carson and Abe Woodridge returned on Saturday last from the Iskut country where they have been doing the assessment work on a number of mining claims in which they are interested with F. E. Bronson. These men are very enthusiastic

over their prospects in that region and are confident that the prospects will prove paying mines. If the samples of ore brought down by these gentlemen are from veins of any considerable size, it would seem that their enthusiasm is warranted. Mr. Bronson has some of the ore from which he will make a cabinet display.

—Found—a small skull. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Inquire at Engstrom's store. S. LERO.

Miss Virginia Clark, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Clarke, who recently graduated from Whitworth College in Tacoma, arrived home on the City of Seattle to spend the summer.

Wm. Strong, Customs Collector at Sitka, and F. E. Gingsass left on the Sockeye Tuesday for Telegraph Creek having a cargo of powder to transport. An attempt was made last week by these gentlemen to make the trip on the Black Fox but on account of the high water in the river were compelled to cache the powder at the at the boundary line and return to Wrangell. The trip will probably take about five days.

Prominent Jurist On Vacation

William H. Donahue, judge of the superior court of Alameda county, California, is spending his vacation in Alaska, and was a passenger on the Spokane. During his stay in Wrangell it was the good fortune of the writer to meet and converse with Judge Donahue, whom we found to be very entertaining.

Before being elected to the bench Judge Donahue served a term as district attorney of Alameda county, Cal. and successfully prosecuted several notable cases, one of them being the famous Dalton case. Dalton had for years been the assessor of Alameda county and had a host of friends, among whom was Judge Donahue.

Dalton, however, betrayed his trust and got away with thousands of dollars of public funds, and it became the duty of Donahue to prosecute his old friend, which he did with a vehemence that resulted in Dalton's conviction and sentence of ten years in San Quentin.

Death of Frank Nye

Frank Nye, the jeweler, well known throughout Southeastern Alaska died at his rooms in the rear of his store, early this morning. Mr. Nye had many friends in Wrangell who regret his death. The arrangements for the funeral have not been made as we go to press.

GREAT, GREATER, GREATEST

Greatest Northwest belongs most appropriately to the territory of Alaska. Greater Northwest is a term used for the first time as far as this writer is able to determine, by Builder & Engineer to designate the section of the United States covered by Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington, and included in the zone of the publication's operation. Great Northwest is the expression used by a number of the eastern and middle west publications to include Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, the section which is sometimes spoken of as the up

per Mississippi valley.

The area covered by Alaska is 586,460 square miles; that of the Greater Northwest 336,096 square miles, and of the Great Northwest 344,485 square miles. The Greater Northwest is once and a half again larger than either of the other sections.

Seeing that the Mississippi valley people have appropriated the term "Northwest" unto themselves and for many of their organizations, it would be futile to attempt to relieve them of it. The use of "Greater Northwest" will serve to put one over on them—and no one will object seeing that Alaska burned in some \$17,000,000 of gold and more than \$18,000,000 of sea food and furs last year to the channels of commerce in this section, to accrediting her with the superlative, "Greatest Northwest"—Pacific Builder and Engineer.

WATERS OF PACIFIC LET INTO CANAL

Waters of the Pacific Ocean were let into the Panama Canal on May 18, when 32,750 pounds of dynamite were exploded under a dike three miles from the Pacific entrance. The detonation was heard at a great distance. It shook buildings several miles distant. The shock was felt at Panama five miles away. The event was witnessed from afar by a great multitude, it being regarded as the first step in the actual opening of the canal. The water now flows as far as Miraflores locks.

This is the first rush of the ocean into the main channel of the canal, the Chagres River, which previously carried the tide ten miles inland, having been dammed or diverted along the line of excavation. The removal of the dike, and the admission of the water to the channel between Corozal and Miraflores means the virtual completion of the Miraflores locks, the base of which is below the tide level, and carries the Pacific tides four miles from La Boca, the mouth of the canal.

The blasting of the dike and the flow of the ocean into the section about one mile in length, from Miraflores south-east of Corozal, marked the completion of one of the most difficult undertakings which confronted the canal builders. When dredging was first begun in this section, the work was made almost impossible by the daily rush of the Chagres River tides, which spread over a wide area of swamps—savannahs. The problem was complicated by the continual encroachment of the waters of the Boecoli River, which poured into the Chagres at this point.

ALASKAN TOWN IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Seward, June 13—A fire starting in a defective flue destroyed almost the entire village of Seward this morning. Sunrise is on Turdagain Arm and is the terminus of the Alaska Northern Railroad. The loss is estimated at ten thousand dollars.

If the plans to open Alaska should also have the collateral effect of closing Delegate Wickersham, prosperity would take the next boat north.—EX.

APPOINTS LOCAL MEN ON BOARD

Last Tuesday Gov. Strong announced his appointees to fill the offices on the newly created Medical, Dental, and Pharmacy boards. The Medical board is for the purpose of examining all those practicing medicine and all applicants who shall desire to do so in the future. The Board for the First Judicial District consists of Dr. E. C. DeVigne of Juneau, and Dr. J. L. Myers, of Ketchikan. The Board of Pharmacy is to serve for a term of four years and in this District consists of Wm. Britt of Juneau and Floyd E. Ryus of Ketchikan. Dr. W. E. Zuber was appointed a member of the board of dental examiners to serve for a term of three years. This places a local man on each of the three examining boards.

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Nicholas I. decided the line should be
built he drew a straight line on the
map between the two cities, and en-
gineers overcame almost incredible
difficulties to keep the railway to the
route indicated.

Once Upon a Time In France.

There was a time in France when a
foolish actress who was ambitious
enough to want a decoration and so ill
advised as to make application for it
to one of the ministers was punished
by imprisonment. It was during the
reign of Louis XV., and the first gen-
tleman in waiting of his majesty wrote
this to the governor of the Fort
l'Esveque prison:

Dear Sir—Having been informed that
Mlle. Clairon has had the insolence and
has been bold enough to solicit one of the
king's decorations, to which neither her
sex nor her profession entitles her, I write
you this letter in the name of the king.
You are to lock her up in your good prison
of le Fort l'Esveque and make things suf-
ficiently uncomfortable for her to teach
her a lesson. Every evening, however,
one of your men will have to conduct her
to the Comedie Française in order that
the public shall not be deprived of the
pleasure of applauding the talent of this
indiscreet woman.

Maybe He Had None.

Rex Beach was at the dress rehearsal
of one of his plays, and he was there
to see that everything was done ex-
actly right. In one scene a member of
the cast failed to pull down his cuffs
as was stipulated in the stage direc-
tions. "Wait one minute!" exclaimed
Beach, prancing out to the middle of
the stage and interrupting the rehearsal.
"Halt right where you are! Haven't I
told you to pull down your cuffs? Doesn't
the book tell you to pull down your cuffs?"

"Yes, sir," said the actor.

"Well, you haven't done it," objected
the playwright. "Pull them down! Down,
down, down! Every gentleman pulls his
cuffs down."

"I fear," said the actor coolly, "you
go too much on hearsay."

Sunday as It Used to Be In London.

Those who object to Sunday amuse-
ments sometimes speak as though in
bygone times our countrymen were ex-
emplary in their observance of the Sab-
bath. In 1805, however, a chronicler,
quoted by Mr. Nevill in "The Merry
Past," estimated that over 200,000 Lon-
doners spent their Sundays in the houses
and tea gardens round the metropolis,
and the condition of these pleasure
seekers at nightfall he calculated to be
as follows: Sober, 50,000; in high glee,
100,000; drunkish, 30,000; staggering tip-
sy, 10,000; muzzy, 15,000; dead drunk,
5,000.—London Spectator.

A Dandy Duke.

The Duke of Buckingham took twenty-
seven suits of clothes to Paris in
1625, one of white uncut velvet set all
over with diamonds, worth £14,000.
He also wore a diamond feather and
diamond buttons and earrings. A curious
fashion for men prevailed in
1612 of ornamenting the ear with
strings of black velvet ribbon, also of
placing a rose behind the ear.—London
Saturday Review.

The Name Servia.

The Serbs have a grievance against
the English language for spelling the
name of their country, Servia, with a
"v," as though it came from "servus,"
a slave. There is really no such con-
nection, and in other languages it is
spelled properly, with a "b"—Spring-
field Republican.

Becoming Oblivious.

Mrs. Chat—I don't believe you've
heard a word I've been saying for the
last half hour, John! Chat—No, my
dear, I've been cultivating absence of
mind.—Judge.

He Didn't.

Instructor—Did you filter this? Youth
(with a sly smile)—No, I was afraid
it wouldn't stand the strain.—Harvard
Lampoon.

Live with the wolves, and you will
learn to howl.—Spanish Proverb.

Servian Women.

There is no country in the world
where women occupy a more dignified
or honored position in the home than
Servia. The Servian idea is quite dif-
ferent from that of the Turk, who
keeps his women behind shut doors, or
the German, whose ideal woman is a
good hausfrau. In Servia the woman
is the companion of the man. A man
is responsible for his unmarried sisters,
and throughout the Balkan states it is
considered rather a breach of etiquette
for him to marry before his older sister.
No Servian girl would feel she
could hold up her head in society un-
less she could speak four languages.
There is hardly a Servian woman who
cannot play some musical instrument.
Embroidery, painting, drawing and
sculpture are all studied. Politics is
a popular feature among women. Ser-
vian women are very domesticated, and
the highest ladies pay personal atten-
tion to trivial matters of housekeeping.
—London Tit-Bits.

When the Worm Turns.

"But the point is, my dear sir," the
father asked in pompous tones, "can
you support my girl in the style to which
she has been accustomed?"

"I'm afraid not."

"Then what the?"

The young man waived the remark
aside.

"She has assured me, however," he
added, "that she will not expect me to
buy so many gloves as I have been
providing or to take her away from
home whenever she wants anything
good to eat. Nor does she expect to
ride in a taxi, as we have always
done, when a train will do. In short,
we are going to live quite sensibly,
and—"

"Oh, all right!" growled the father.
"If you are going to be mean about
the business take her!"

Gladstone on the Balkans.

The traditional opposition of Bul-
garia to Turkey constituted, according to
Mr. Gladstone, one of the chief fac-
tors of European progress. Speaking
of the Balkan peoples, he once said:
"They are like a shelving beach
which restrains the ocean. That beach,
it is true, is beaten by the waves; it is
laid desolate; it produces nothing; it
becomes perhaps nothing save a mass
of shingle, of rock, of almost useless
sea-weed. But it is a fence behind
which the cultivated earth can spread
and escape the incoming tide, and such
was the resistance of Bulgarians, of
Servians and of Greeks. It was that
resistance which left Europe to claim
the enjoyment of her own religion and
to develop her institutions and her
laws."—London Chronicle.

Origin of the Cigarette.

The Aztecs, it is believed, are respon-
sible for the cigarette. The Spaniards
first got a whiff of the cigarette when
they invaded Mexico under Cortes.
The Aztecs then used tobacco in no
other form, and the Spaniards learned
from them how to roll the little pack-
age into smokeable shape. They intro-
duced the cigarette into Europe, and by
that route it found its way into Amer-
ica, though it was nearly 200 years
reaching here. The Aztecs were also
using cocoa and its product, chocolate,
when Cortes conquered them, and it
was not long until the whole of Europe
was eating the various preparations of
this bean. When the Spaniards first
tasted it they named it theobromus,
from the two Greek words meaning
"food of the gods."

Trousers.

Modern trousers came into fashion in
1812, yet the column of Trajan shows
a group of Sarantians clothed in trousers
as they are just like ours. As early as
A. D. 69 a Roman general created great
scandal by going to war in trousers,
which were regarded as "barbarian."
When the Bulgarian King Boris was
converted to Christianity in the sev-
enth century, among the 101 questions
he propounded to the pope was whether
it was lawful for Christians to wear
trousers. The explanation of this is
that the Bulgarians had long been
among the trousered peoples, but as
conversion was coming from the down-
ward robed Greeks they feared that
robes instead of trousers might be es-
sential to Christianity.

All About Stealing.

"Why do you call your story 'The
Thieves' Romance?'"

"Because it is all about stealing."

"How?"

"Well, the story of the romance goes
this way: 'She stole a look; then he
stole a kiss. Next they had stolen
meetings, they stole a march on their
friends and both stole away.'"

"I suppose the next thing they will
be stealing back."

It Couldn't Be.

Dean Farrar quotes Tennyson as
having related to him the remark of a
farmer who, after hearing a fire and
brimstone sermon from an old style
preacher, consoled his wife by saying:
"Never mind, Sally. That must be
wrong. No coustlooshun couldn't
stand it."

Cumulative.

"George has given me an engage-
ment ring with three diamonds in it,"
said Henrietta.

"Yes, I know," said Marietta. "He
always adds a diamond every time he
gets engaged. It only had one when
I wore it."—Harper's Weekly.

Showing Progress.

Minister—Young man, do you know
how to dance? Young Man—Well, par-
son, I know the holds, but I don't know
the steps.—Life.

Wisdom and honor are the avenues
to a happy immortality.—Plato.

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331.5 feet to Corner No. 2; Thence
N. 23 deg. 39 min. W. 220.8
feet to Corner No. 3; Thence
N. 32 deg. 22 min. W. 435.5
feet to Corner No. 4; Thence
N. 29 deg. 40 min. W. 313.6
feet to Corner No. 5; Thence
N. 85 deg. 52 min. E. 580.5
feet to Corner No. 6; Thence
S. 49 deg. 41 min. E. 1402.7
feet to Corner No. 7; Thence
N. 80 deg. 46 min. W. 300
feet to Corner No. 1 and place
of beginning. Containing 14-
082 acres.

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sec. W. 419.52 feet distant;
Thence S. 43 deg. 39 min. E.
1711.5 feet to Cor. No. 2;
Thence S. 87 deg. 40 min. E.
322 feet to Cor. No. 3; Thence
N. 41 deg. 16 min. W. 1672
feet to Cor. No. 4; Thence N.
80 deg. 16 min. W. 600 feet
to Cor. No. 1, place of begin-
ning. 15,750 acres. Total area:
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acres. Containing 15,095 acres.

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Corner No. 1, U. S. M. M. No. 23
bears N. 51 deg. 48 min.
10 sec. W. 2036.38 feet.
Thence S. 38 deg. 12 min. E.
1170 feet to Cor. No. 2;
Thence N. 36 deg. 14 min. E.
600 feet to Cor. No. 3; Thence
N. 48 deg. 47 min. W. 986 feet
to Cor. No. 4; Thence N. 87
deg. 40 min. W. 522 feet to
Cor. No. 1, place of beginning.
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Corner No. 1, U. S. M. M. No. 23
bears N. 46 deg. 6 min. 20 sec.
W. 3482.23 feet distant; Thence
S. 45 deg. 55 min. E. 1351 feet
to Cor. No. 2; Thence N. 36 deg.
14 min. E. 600 feet to Cor. No. 3;
Thence N. 45 deg. 55 min.
W. 1351 feet to Cor. No. 4;
Thence S. 36 deg. 14 min. W.
600 feet to Cor. No. 1, place
of beginning. Containing 18-
313 acres.

Ham Island No. 1: Beginn-
ing at Cor. No. 1, U. S. M. M.
No. 23 bears S. 60 deg. 25 min.
E. 42.7 feet distant; Thence S.
80 deg. 21 min. E. 244.6 feet
to Cor. No. 2; Thence S. 89 deg.
46 min. E. 215 feet intersect
Cor. No. 1 Alaska Marble of
this survey; 355 feet to Cor.
No. 3; Thence S. 31 deg. 30
min. E. 479.43 feet intersect
line 1-2 of Alaska No. 2 of this
survey. 1446 feet to Cor. No. 4;
Thence S. 51 deg. 25 min. W.
566 feet to Cor. No. 5; Thence
N. 31 deg. 00 min. W. 1855.5
feet to Cor. No. 1, place of be-
ginning, containing 18,589
acres.

Ham Island No. 2: Beginn-
ing at Cor. No. 1, U. S. M. M.
No. 23, N. 30 deg. 20 min. 21
sec. W. 1818.43 feet distance;

thence S. 38 deg. 35 min. E.
1466 feet to Cor. No. 2; Thence
N. 51 deg. 25 min. E. 566 feet
to Cor. No. 3; Thence N. 38 deg.
35 min. W. 1459.5 feet to Cor.
No. 4; Thence S. 51 deg. 25
min. W. 500 feet to Cor. No. 1
place of beginning, containing
16,956 acres.

Ham Island No. 4: Beginn-
ing at Cor. No. 1 U. S. M. M.
No. 23 bears N. 34 deg. 01 min.
24 sec. W. 3268.90 feet distant;
thence S. 40 deg. 47 min. E.
874.4 feet to Cor. No. 2; Thence
S. 46 deg. 49 min. E. 492.3
feet to Cor. No. 3; Thence S.
51 deg. 44 min. E. 243 feet to
Cor. No. 4; Thence N. 39 deg.
54 min. E. 558 ft. to Cor. No.
5; Thence N. 46 deg. 05 min.
W. 1500 feet to Cor. No. 6;
Thence S. 51 deg. 25 min. W.
506 feet to Cor. No. 1, place of
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acres. Variation at all points

30 deg. E.
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uous group located on Ham Is-
land on the south end of
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of Bradfield canal, Southeastern
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W. Lat. 56 deg. 14 min. E.
bounded on the north, east and
west by unsurveyed land and
on north, west and south by
high tide line. Plat of said
claims and this notice posted
on said claims October 23, 1912,
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ord in the Wrangell Recording
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cations and water rights at
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